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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Committee on Appropriations 2358-B Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro

I am requesting funding for the Western Washington County Inflow and Infiltration Rehabilitation Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Clean Water Services, located at 2550 SW Hillsboro Hwy, Hillsboro, Oregon 97123. The funding would be used for construction costs associated with replacing approximately 14,000 linear feet of existing sanitary sewer mainline located in Forest Grove, Oregon. Significant levels of stormwater/groundwater have been identified in the sanitary sewer system due to aged and deteriorating pipes. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide important water quality benefits and lower costs to communities in Forest Grove, Gaston, and Cornelius.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Bonamici

Member of Congress

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